GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1540
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ATOMIC POWER PLANTS
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Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Atomic Power Plants in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government proposes to set up more Atomic Power plants in the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the amount proposed to be spent to set up these Atomic Power Plants;

(e) whether any proposal has been received by the Government for setting up of a Atomic Power plant in Maharashtra; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER`S OFFICE(SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN):

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(a) There are 14 nuclear power reators in operations in the country. The state-wise details are:

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State	No. of reactors	Capacity in MWe
Rajasthan	4	740
Maharashtra	2	320
Gujarat	2	440
Uttar Pradesh	2	440
Karnataka	2	440
Tamil Nadu	2	390
Total	14	2770

(b) Yes Sir. Work on setting up of 9 nuclear power reactors is going in full swing. In fact the work on TAPP unit 4 (540 MWe) in Maharashtra has been completed and the unit is connected to grid on 4.6.2005.

(c) The details are:

State	No. of reactors	Capacity in MWe
Maharashtra	2	1080
Rajasthan	2	440
Karnataka	2	440
Tamil Nadu	3	2500

(d) The completion cost of above nine reactors is Rs. 29,542 crore.

(e) No Sir.

(g) Not applicable.